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## SCHOOL CHILDREN BESIEGE PARK ON SCHOOL PICNIC DAY

Early Morning Sunshine Encourages Hundreds to Venture Out

SCHOOL TERM NOW AT AN END

Rearrangement Necessary in Rooms And Superintendent Pollock Has Already Started Work Preparing for Term to Begin Next Fall

Early morning sunshine enticed one of the biggest crowds to Eldora park today that has attended a Charleroi school picnic since holding them being an institution and a later morning drizzle and the appearance of sullen skies failed to dampen the ardor or spoil the enthusiasm. A good time is being enjoyed by the youngsters which literally were "turned loose" to the number of nearly 2,000 at the park.

Transportation arrangements as announced Saturday were carried out. This placed about all the school children on the scene of the day's enjoyment at about 10 o'clock. Amusements were immediately besieged for into each chubby fist had been placed a certain number of free tickets.

The noon hour was a picnic hour. Many whose school days are now mere memories joined the children this morning, carrying baskets and prepared to enjoy themselves thoroughly in the noon meal. The departing cars are to leave the park from 3 to 6 o'clock this afternoon but it is expected that many will stay for the evening.

This afternoon a number of athletic events will be staged and prizes given for each.

With the picnic the school term is ended. Preparations are already under way for the beginning of the next term the first of September. Prof. T. L. Pollock, superintendent, has a big task ahead in mapping out arrangements. Additions are being built to the high school building, providing much needed additional room. Probably the junior high school will be moved back to the high school building and this removal will necessitate other re-arrangements.

NO ISSUE OF THE MAIL  
TUESDAY MEMORIAL DAY

Tomorrow being Memorial Day and a nationally observed holiday there will be no issue of the Mail published.

Notice, Knights of Columbus. Members of Charleroi Council No. 956 are requested to meet in their rooms in the Mail building at 7:30 Tuesday evening to go in a body to the home of Mrs. Claybaugh.

Peter Lee, Grand Knight.  
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MAJESTIC HAS SPECIAL FEATURES FOR WEEK

Interesting programs of motion pictures are scheduled for presentation at the Majestic theatre both this evening and Memorial day. "Love's Toll," a great drama with Rosetta Brice and Anna Buhler in the leading roles. On Tuesday Dorothy Gish and Owen Moore will be featured in "Betty of Shady" an interesting picture. A comedy picture "Cinders of Love" will also be shown Tuesday.

FALLOWFIELD TEACHERS ARE ELECTED FOR ENSUING TERM

All Places With Single Exception Filled—Three Mills is Fixed as the Rate of Taxation

The Fallowfield township teachers were elected by the Fallowfield board at a meeting Saturday, with President Charles Williams in the chair and Secretary Wesley Young in his seat. Following were the elections: Jonestown, Hazel Lutes; Carson, Charles Gregg; Fallowfield, Hazel Carson; Fremont, no election; Custer, Hazel Shannon; Pigeon Creek No. 1, Elsie Tinley; Pigeon Creek No. 2, Anna Hendershot; Dickey; Jessie Cochran; Rodgers, Mrs. Janet Hannan. The millage for the year was set at three mills. The school term was fixed at seven months.

## MRS. CLAYBAUGH DIES SUDDENLY

Widow of Robert Claybaugh Succumbs to Effects of Extended Illness

LIVED HERE MANY YEARS

Mrs. Mary Ann Claybaugh, aged 53 years, the widow of Robert Claybaugh, and for years a resident of Charleroi, died suddenly at her home at 122 Prospect avenue Sunday morning at 9:15 o'clock. Her death was due to heart trouble and other kindred ailments, from which she has suffered for months.

Mrs. Claybaugh was a native of Brownsville. With her husband she came to Charleroi when the town was new her husband entering the blacksmith business. He died suddenly about five years ago.

Three sons and three daughters survive. They are: Samuel, Robert and Leo Claybaugh of Charleroi; Mrs. W. W. Seaton of Uniontown, Miss Sarah Claybaugh at home and Miss Carrie Claybaugh of Brownsville.

The funeral will be held Wednesday. Requiem high mass will be celebrated at St. Jerome's Roman Catholic church at 8:30 in the morning and the body will be taken to Brownsville for interment.

Deeds Recorded.  
May 12, 1916—William R. McKean et ux., Charleroi, to George S. Might Charleroi, a lot fronting 55 feet on Lincoln avenue, Donora and extending back 105 feet; consideration, \$2,500.

May 20, 1916—Ida Decamps, Charleroi, to George Minni, Charleroi, a lot fronting 66 feet on Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi and extending back 25 feet; consideration, \$2,200.

May 17, 1916—Joseph Gluvna et ux., Charleroi to Eugene J. Charles, Charleroi, a lot fronting 25 feet on Shady street, Charleroi and extending back 100 feet; consideration, \$1,200.

May 20, 1916—Elizabeth Johnson et con, Hackett to Eugene J. Charles, Charleroi, a lot fronting 50 feet on Shady avenue, Charleroi and extending back 100 feet; consideration \$800.

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## MEMORIAL EXERCISES HELD FOR VETERANS

Fitting Tribute Paid Them Sunday With Services at First Christian Church—Rev. Duty Preaches Sermon on "In Memoriam."

Fitting tribute was paid to Civil veterans who have "gone on" with cuzzess to penetrate the intricate machinery of the ship of state. Then church Sunday afternoon, held under the auspices of the Veterans Guard. The sermon of the afternoon was delivered by Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor of the First Christian Church, and himself a son of a veteran.

The exercises of the day started with a short parade beginning at the railroad station and extending up Fifth street to Fallowfield avenue and thence to the church. This parade was led by a police representation. In line then came the Veteran Guard Drum Corps, a representation from council, a representation of Patriotic Americans, veterans, members of the Charleroi fire department, Monessen Cadets and school children.

Appropriate music was rendered at the church. The invocation was said by Rev. W. G. Mead, Rev. J. E. Charles, Ph. D., had the scripture reading and the prayer of the afternoon was offered by Rev. C. P. Bastian.

Rev. Duty's sermon subject was "In Memoriam." He defined the subject of patriotism and showed how Memorial day should be perpetuated. He paid high tributes to Lincoln, as the savior of his country, as well as to Washington as the father of his country. His conclusion was strong, it being an argument for universal peace. In his climax Rev. Duty said, "Our nation shall progress toward that ideal state of universal peace and brotherhood just so fast as she

and Jacob Wise, one of the organizers of the Veteran Guard as well as one of the most active members made a short address. Two children made speeches and Mrs. Thomas of Roscoe gave a reading. Samuel Crawford, a veteran, placed flowers upon a vacant chair in memory of the late Andrew Amos a comrade. Flowers were also placed by children. The exercises closed with the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner" and the benediction by Rev. A. J. Whpkey.

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Former President William Howard Taft Tuesday afternoon will make an address in the college gymnasium at Washington on the subject "Our International Relationships." He will speak under the Stockdale lecture-

ship.

Elaborate plans have been made for Mr. Taft's entertainment while in Washington. He will be met at the 10:48 Pennsylvania train by a reception committee composed of members of the college faculty and board of trustees and by a delegation of Boy Scouts. Mr. Taft is honorary president of the National Boy Scouts organization.

Mr. Taft will be escorted immediately to the college campus, where he will talk informally for a few minutes to the veterans and school children from the steps of the library. In case of rain he will speak in the gymnasium.

Mr. Taft will be the guest of President F. W. Hinitt at luncheon.

At 2:30 o'clock the distinguished guest will deliver his lecture in the gymnasium.

After the lecture Mr. Taft will be taken for an automobile ride about the town and surrounding country. He will be the guest of Miss Elizabeth Stockdale at dinner.

Mr. Taft will leave at 6:40 o'clock, although there is a possibility he may remain until a later train. Just who will be with him is not known.

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## BUONO GETS 7 TO 12 YEARS IN PEN; TALBOT IS FOUND GUILTY

JAMES J. HILL, GREAT RAILROAD MAN OF NORTHWEST DIES TODAY

Charleroi Man Sentenced for Killing Calarego Sanfillipi

Houston Bank Verdict in

Verdict returned at 1 O'clock is "Guilty as Indicted" for Felonious Entry, Robbery, Larceny and Receiving Stolen Goods.

August Buono, the Charleroi Italian accused of the murder of Calarego Sanfillipi in a McKean avenue barber shop today was sentenced to a term of from 7 to 12 years in the penitentiary on his plea of guilty to voluntary manslaughter. Sentence was imposed by Judge McIlvaine who explained that a year was cut from the minimum owing to Buono's plea.

Thomas Talbot was found guilty as indicted in connection with the robbery in April of the Houston bank and sentence postponed. A verdict was reached Saturday night at 8 o'clock by the jury and sent to Judge McIlvaine today at 1 o'clock. The indictment is for felonious entry, robbery, larceny and receiving stolen goods.

Edward Lockhart, found guilty of killing George Coates at Donora November 20, 1915, was given a voluntary manslaughter sentence of from 8 to 12 years in the penitentiary. Louis Cambesi of California received a sentence similar for killing Giovanni.

Mrs. Lillian Roupe, the Washington woman who figured in a sensational trial of last week for killing her husband, was sentenced on a voluntary manslaughter charge to one year in jail. The jury has recommended extreme mercy. She fainted when the verdict was returned.

## DOUGLAS COSTLY TO WESTMORELAND

Bills Filed For Negro Who Was Electrocuted for Monessen Murder

BODY SHIPPED TO VIRGINIA

The penitentiary authorities have sent to the Westmoreland county commissioners a bill for \$91, covering the expenses for embalming the body of Charles Douglas, furnishing the coffin and shipping the remains to Clarion, Va., for interment.

The same authorities also notified Clerk of Courts James B. Gallagher that Douglas had been officially executed in the death house at Rickville Monday morning at 7:09 o'clock.

Douglas wrote at least one letter from Rockview before his execution to a Greensburger who visited him in the county jail. Douglas wrote the letter Sunday. In it he stated that he was ready to die and that he had received pardon for his sins. The negro asserted and he maintained that it was another who committed the murder, but he refused to divulge that party's name.

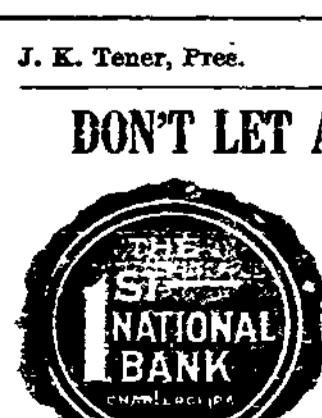
Douglas was a costly prisoner to Westmoreland county and while the exact amount he cost the taxpayers has not been tabulated from the date of the murder of Joseph Smith to the burial of the negro it is said Douglas entailed an expense of at least \$3,000.

RETURN OF PICTURE WITH MARY PICKFORD AT COYLE

The attraction at the Coyle theatre for Memorial day will be a return engagement of "The Eternal Grind" Mary Pickford the famous star appears in the leading role of this production. It was shown here several weeks ago and scored a big hit. Manager Coyle was requested to secure it for a return engagement. Today at the Coyle a Fix production "Sins of Men" is being shown.

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ABILITY OR SATISFACTION.

About thirty years ago West Point decided that Fred Funston a cadet at that school, was not fit material for a soldier. In the four or five years after Fred went to West Point, he was to America, says Bonner Baker in the *Karen Ladd's Train*, for six or seven years he traveled around and when the war with Spain commenced Funston started about seven years behind the boy who had gone through West Point.

While some of the West Point young fellows were still lieutenants Funston came to be a colonel in the Philippines a brigadier. Fifteen years ago he arrived at the rank of Brigadier-General of the regular army, and he arrived there in less time after his enlistment in the army than the cadets who are still captains and majors spent in West Point during the period for which Funston was rejected some thirty years ago.

But Funston did not stop at Brigadier-General. He pushed along to become Major-General, in command in the southwest, the most conspicuous officer in the army organization today, and West Point, which found him unfit for military service, has no man of his age in his ranks from the academy and no man in his class, age or anything else included.

The moral of this story is that a man is a great deal bigger than the specifications that limit him and that colleges which are created by men are not bigger than their creators.

West Point is a great institution, with its cast iron methods, making soldiers after an inflexible rule that takes all manner of boys and trims them up to one unchangeable pattern. But Funston did not fit the pattern. He gave no promise of fitting by any test of trimming. He was left free to be a great soldier.

Funston had the ability.

Therefore he did not need to be machine made.

There must be something to encourage the continued activity of gas and oil men in the Dunns Station vicinity. Last winter western Pennsylvania was annoyed with a gas shortage that was serious. Drilling was continued during good weather about the entire year round, but results were in doubt at nearly every point in the county except the Dunns Station region and there it seems a strike was made. Indications are good but next winter will show results. There was a theory that the natural gas supply had about been exhausted as the coal was mined out, but the Dunns Station activity lends encouragement.

Brownsville is wailing and gnashing its teeth because the Monongahela Division, P. R. R. determined to pass up that borough with four trains that formerly ran into the town. To Brownsville this act despoils a certain portion of what it regards as its just trade and sends it down the river to Charleroi and other towns. Probably this idea never occurred to the railroad company, and probably the railroad company won't be much worried to learn the news. The railroad had an idea of improving its service by bettering its train schedules for up river points. Of course it is too bad if Brownsville feels badly about it but the Pennsylvania is not in position to consider Brownsville as more important than it does other towns. Experience has proven that where people find the best place to buy there they go, even though they are embarrassed triflingly in getting there. If that is Brownsville, its Brownsville and if it's Charleroi... all right.

\* PICKED UP IN PASSING \*

A Johnstown school teacher recently gave her pupils the task of writing a sentence to illustrate the use of the word "heroes".

Little Willie handed in the following sentence. "A man sat down on a chair. There was a tick in the chair. He rose."—Pittsburg Catholic.

I'm willing to admit that baseball is a great game," said the golf expert, "but at the same time I can see several ways in which it might be improved."

"For instance?"

"Well, instead of having all the bats practically alike why not have different bats for different purposes?"

# MAJESTIC TODAY

Daniel Carson Goodman's Latest Great Drama  
"LOVE'S TOLL"

Presenting Rosetta Brice as the woman who stumbles but once on the path of life, and marries with a lie in her heart, and Richard Buhler as the man from whose lips the cup of trust and happiness is dashed by one whom he held in closest regard.

TOMORROW

Triangle Fine Arts presents youthful and popular Dorothy Gish in

"Betty of Graystone"

an appealing story of romance and adventure, with Owen Moore husband of Mary Pickford as leading man.

Triangle Keystone Comedy with Chester Conklin and Slim Summerville in "CINDERS OF LOVE" a Mack Sennett production and a positive laugh producer.

Triangle pictures never fail to entertain

It stands to reason that a bat suitable for hitting a straight ball cannot be equally well adapted for hitting curves and that a bat used for bunts should be of a different design from the one that is used in making a home run. Each player should have an assortment of clubs and a caddy to haul them to him as he wants them."

His parents had always had trouble in inducing their small son to eat. One day he was given a plate of tomato soup and his mother asked him if he liked it.

"No," he said, "I don't like it."

"Then why do you eat it?"

"Oh," he answered, remembering past scenes. "I ain't looking for trouble."—Philadelphia Star.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Why do they call the ship book a log and the hotel book a register?

A correspondent wants to know what happens when two winds meet head on. We don't remember having ever seen that kind of a collision.

From the sound some automobile horns need a hypodermic injection.

Never mind. The person who flares up when they have to explain will get over it, for some day they will die.

It is Perfectly Natural. To begin eating a piece of pie at the small end.

To ask your friend how many miles he can get out of a gallon.

To hit the beefsteak a few clips with the potato masher whether it needs it or not.

To walk off with your friend's lead pencil.

To try some new kind of fuel for the furnace every month.

To try to make a \$2.50 birthday present make a noise like \$25.

GINGLES' JINGLES

OUR STAKES. It may be we're four-flushing mostly, but feel that we're now on the square: we may not have always been just as we should—may not have been playing it fair, but that is no reason why things should not change, no argument favoring wrong, the fact we have found that it pays to do right, just makes us for clean stuff more strong. Our sons and our daughters we love and respect we're anxious their course should be straight, and that is the reason we stand as we do—why things that have wronged us we hate. We know from experience bought at a price, temptation is right on the job; we know what it promises, what it has done, we know that its aim is to rob. The course we have run and the fights we have fought, and the anguish and grief we have stood, has made us come through strong and firm for the right, the rough stuff must beat it.

SADLY DELUSED.

"A man who was run down by a motorist the other day had a copy of Plato in his pocket."

"One of these absent-minded dreamers, I suppose?"

"Well, no. He said an acquaintance had played a practical joke on him and induced him to take the book home under the impression that it was one of the best sellers."

INHERITED.

Mrs. Biggs—There goes Mrs. Upson. She certainly has a graceful carriage.

Mrs. Biggs—Yes; she must have inherited it from her grandfather.

Mrs. Biggs—Was his carriage graceful?

Mrs. Biggs—So I have been told. He used to carry a hod.

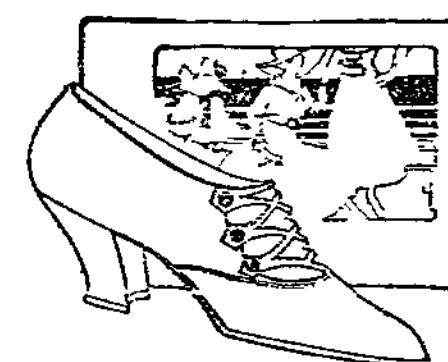
One thousand Poles, other than telephone are to enjoy a parade in Uniontown.

Woodwards To Play at Pittsburg

The Woodward A. C. will travel to Pittsburg Memorial day to play two games with the Gibson ball club of Sheridan. All players are requested to meet at 6:30 o'clock sharp at Fifth street.

# Decoration Day Footwear

Next to Easter, Decoration Day is the Dress Up Day of the year. Above all you do not wish to neglect your feet. It matters not how much of an effort you make on the part of that new dress, if you neglect the feet all the effect is lost. And again this hot weather makes you think of low shoes. In this respect we cannot be surpassed in style as well as quality. We have a bigger stock of high grade footwear in all the latest fancy shoes as well as the very newest thing in low shoes, than has ever before been displayed in Charleroi and are positive that the very shoe you are looking for is here.



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## GOOD RACES TO BE PUT ON BY INTERCLUB MOTORSPEED CLUB

Belle Vernon Driving Park to be Scene of Fast Driving—Entrants From All Along Valley

Good races will be put on by the Interclub Motorspeed Association at Belle Vernon Driving Park on Tuesday afternoon. There will be five or more events and the entries are well filled. The riding enthusiasts are all taking an interest and with good weather there will be a large crowd out.

### Entries

N. D. Pratt, Brownsville, representing the Indian, with a team of four.

Indian Motorcycle Exchange, of Monessen, representing Westmoreland county, will have a team of four.

A. E. Bonary, of Monessen agent for the Harley-Davidson, has entered six machines and has been in practice on the track.

W. I. Huston, of Charleroi, has entered a team of five Harley-Davidson machines.

C. J. Howard, of Charleroi, agent for the Flying Merkle and Miami, will be represented by several machines.

M. J. Laymon, of Monessen, agent for the Henderson, will be represented with several machines, one of which has a speed of 4,000 revolutions per minute.

Officials of the meet will be: Judges, L. F. Vremach of Pittsburgh, John A. Fife, Jr., of Pittsburgh; timers, J. L. Levy, A. W. Boltz; referee, Tony DeMarco.

## CANOE CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS FOR YEAR AND PLANS SEASON

Officers for the ensuing year were elected and plans talked of by members of the Charleroi Canoe Club at a meeting held at their boat Sunday afternoon. The following were elected: President, George W. Might; vice president, Zenobe Baudoux; secretary, Harry Stone; treasurer, Harry Hopkins. The houseboat committee was named, to consist of Bannister Roberts, Edgar Wilson and Harry Hopkins. It was decided to have the boat painted and to put on a new porch.

NO ORGANIZED CELEBRATION  
OF MEMORIAL DAY HERE

Memorial day will be generally observed as a holiday in Charleroi, though there will be no organized celebration. Many will spend the day at Eldora park where entertainment will be furnished. A number will go out of town for the day to visit with friends elsewhere.

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## TELLS RIGHT WAY TO COUGH

Physician's Directions Would Certainly Prevent One Becoming a Nuisance to Companions.

The following directions as to how to cough are given by a physician in the Journal of the Outdoor Life:

Fold your handkerchief so that it is about five inches square. Place it flat in the right hand, if you are right handed, and with this hand hold it tightly over the mouth. Press the hand on the mouth, as to hold it loosely over the mouth will not accomplish the purpose. Now instead of coughing and trying to muffle the sound in your throat or mouth, muffle it with your handkerchief. Practice it until a person ten feet away cannot hear you.

The sound made in coughing is due partly to air passing over the vocal cords, partly to air going through the bronchial tubes and trachea, and partly to the resonance produced in the chambers above the trachea. This sound can be almost wholly avoided and the irritation to the lungs and air passages prevented by keeping the air passages open and letting your handkerchief do the muffling. Now instead of expelling 120 cubic inches of air at each expiration, you will expel a smaller amount, with more comfort to yourself and to those around you and with much less harm to your lungs.

Women and Children Who Work.

Reliable report is to the effect that

5,000,000 women in this country are earning their living. The same authority declares that 90 per cent of the widows lack the comforts of home and

32 per cent of them the actual necessities of life, since 89 per cent of the men who die leave no estate whatever and 95 per cent of them leave almost none. This is also one of the reasons why 2,000,000 children or thereabouts less than sixteen years old have been obliged to go to work in this country.

It is useless to say that they should be in school unless economic conditions are so arranged that they may do so without suffering for the necessities of life.

Remedies for Whooping Cough.

Dr. Nelly Benstz of Amsterdam writes that the remedies for whooping cough which always give good results are, phosphate of codein in doses of 10 to 30 milligrams a day, sulphate of quinine, and potassium bromide, 15 grains a day for infants and 15 to 40 grains a day for older children.

One Man's Theory.

Mrs. Wederly—Men talk of the joys

of single blessedness, but statistics prove that more bachelors than married men commit suicide.

Mr. Singleton—Yes, that's true.

Mrs. Wederly—Oh, then you are

willing to admit it. Then I suppose you can explain why it is true.

Mr. Singleton—Sure I can. They

are driven to despair by other people's babies.

MAKING A DISTINCTION.

Mrs. Owens—I'm going to the

butcher's, Tom. Shall I order the

Sunday dinner?

Owens—No, don't order it; just

ask for it. Last month's bill isn't paid yet.

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Printed Voile Classique, beautiful styles . . . . .	25c yd.
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Kiddy Cloth Suiting, 32 inches wide . . . . .	20c yd.
Printed Organies, light grounds . . . . .	15c yd.
Marcella Mulls, 27 inches wide . . . . .	20c yd.
Bates Gingham, fast colors . . . . .	12 1-2c yd.
Scotch Ginghams, 32 inches wide . . . . .	25c yd.

McCall's Book of Fashions including a Free pattern 20c a copy.

## Women's Cool Silk Gloves

Two clasp, white silk gloves with double stitched fingers and single now of Paris, joint stitching on back, 50c pair.

Kaysers two clasp silk gloves in all wanted shades are shown here today. Priced at 50c, 75c and \$1.00 a pair.

## Flags For Memorial Day

See our assortment of flags for your decorations. Cotton Bunting Flags—fast colors	
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24x36 inch, mounted . . . . .	25c
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	5x8 feet, unmounted . . . . .
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	5x8 feet, pole and bracket . . . . .
	1.50
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### Divorce Notice

In the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Pa., Mary Victorie Mijean vs. Paul Mijean subpoena sur liber for divorce. No. 2549 February Term, 1916.

### Notice to Respondent.

To Paul Mijean, respondent in the above mentioned case: You are hereby notified in pursuance of the Order of Court of Common Pleas of said County of Washington, to be and appear in the said Court on the first Monday of June next, being the 5th day of the month, to answer the petition ofabel Hereto preferred by the plaintiff, Mary Victorie Mijean your wife and show cause if any you have why the said Mary Victorie Mijean should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you agreeably to the Act of Assembly, in such cases made and provided. Hereof fail not under the penalty of having said petition heard and a decree of divorce granted in your absence.

F. B. Wickerham,

Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office:  
May 3rd, 1916.

D. M. McCloskey, Atty.  
M-8-15-22-29

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Coddled Apples.—Take tart, ripe apples of uniform size, remove the cores. Place the fruit in the bottom of a porcelain kettle; spread thickly with sugar; cover the bottom with water and allow the apples to simmer until tender. Pour the syrup over the apples and serve cold.

Apple Conserve.—For each pound of quartered and pared apples allow three-quarters of a pound of sugar and half a pint of water. Boil sugar and water until a rich sirup is formed; add the apples and simmer until clear. Take up carefully, lay on plates and dry in the sun. Roll in sugar and pack in tin boxes lined with waxed paper.

Apple Compote and Orange Marmalade.—Boil 12 tart apples in one quart of water until tender, strain through a jelly bag; add one pound of granulated sugar and let boil. While boiling add 12 apples, cored and pared. When the apples are tender, drain them carefully in a perforated skimmer. Boil the syrup until it jells; fill the apples with orange marmalade and pour the syrup over them. Serve with whipped cream.

Crab Apple Marmalade.—Wash and core crab apples and put them through the meat chopper. Put into a preserving kettle and add water until it shows through the top layer of apples. Cook until soft. Weigh and add an equal weight of sugar. Cook until the mixture forms a jelly when cooled and pour into sterilized glasses. Cover with paraffin.

Apple Custard.—Beat the yolks of four eggs and add one-half cupful of sugar; cook for one or two minutes and remove from the fire. Gradually add one pint of grated apple. Pour into a serving dish and cover with a meringue made of the well-beaten whites of four eggs and three table-spoonfuls of powdered sugar.

### Cheese Croquettes.

Make a white sauce, using two tablespoonsfuls of butter, one-third cupful of flour, two-thirds cupful of milk. Add one-fourth teaspoonful of salt, paprika, the yolks of two eggs, one-half cupful cream cheese, grated, and one cupful of cream cheese cut in small pieces. Cool, shape, allowing one rounding tablespoonful to each croquette, and roll in balls. Add two tablespoonsfuls of cold water to the whites of the eggs, dip in crumbs prepared by drying the bread, and putting through the meat chopper. Dip in the egg, then in crumbs again. Fry in deep fat and drain on brown paper. This is a very hearty dish, good for hard labor, indoors or out.

### Honey Cakes.

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### Attractive Dessert.

The ingredients needed for this are a pint of cream, the white of one egg, half a cupful of sugar, half a cupful of nuts, chopped fine; 12 figs and six dates. Beat the cream until stiff with the white of egg. Sweeten this, add the nuts and fruit, the latter cut in small pieces. Mix all thoroughly and put into a wet mold. Cover tightly and pack in salt and ice for four hours. This quantity will serve eight people.

### Veal in a Mold.

This is a dish that can be prepared the day before and can be served cold for the next day's luncheon or dinner. Boil a knuckle of veal until tender. Pour on the water in which it was boiled and mince the veal. Add the minced veal to the juice and pour in a mold. Add thin slices of hard-boiled egg and place in a cool place, and when cold place on the ice. Serve on a platter garnished with parsley.

### Apricot Pie de Lux.

Soak apricots over night in cold water, fill pie plate as you would apple pie, but do not put in any undercrust; then add one-half cupful sugar, a few dots of butter and some cinnamon. Cover with a rich crust and bake. Serve while warm and cover with whipped cream.

### Frankfurter Sausage.

Put the sausage in a sauceman to the side of the stove, let them remain ten minutes without boiling, then serve.

### PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. William W. Youngson have returned to Portland, Ore., after visiting with Dr. Youngson's sister Mrs. H. J. Booth of Crest avenue.

Miss Marion Haines of the Indiana Normal is spending a short vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Haines of Washington avenue.

Miss Katherine Heupel of Dormont is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Heupel of Lincoln avenue.

Mrs. T. A. Copeland of Newell and Miss Katherine Freels of Brownsburg are guests of Mrs. Copeland's sister Mrs. T. L. Pollock of Fifth street.

Miss Hallie Risbeck of the Indiana Normal school visited over Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. George W. Risbeck of Washington avenue.

Miss Mabel Griffith of McKeesport is visiting with friends in Charleroi.

Mrs. F. M. Haines and daughter Miss Marion spent Monday in Pittsburgh.

The Francis Williard class of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Thomas Warrenford Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Day have returned from Philadelphia where they visited with Ex-Governor and Mrs. J. K. Tener and others. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Edward C. Niver of Philadelphia a member of the State Board of Censorship and Mrs. Eva Fisk of New York. Mrs. Fisk will return this evening but Mrs. Niver will visit in Charleroi until Tuesday. The trip was made in the Day automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Hormell and daughter Mildred, Miss Goldie May and Mrs. Robert Hormell motored to Pittsburgh Sunday where they were the guests of Mrs. Sherman Walk.

Mrs. Marie Maple of near Whiteland is visiting her daughter Mrs. Myrtle Roberts of Washington avenue and son Harry Maple of North Charleroi.

J. B. Tussing is in Washington on business today.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Price went to West Middlesex Saturday to visit over Memorial day with relatives.

Mrs. Harry Sutman of Monenesson visited at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bromwich Sunday.

Miss Mabel Gaut visited at Pittsburgh Monday.

William Ashcraft visited with relatives at Uniontown Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Metz and Mrs. C. A. Metz have gone to Carmichaels to visit for several days.

W. Raymond Kent visited over Sunday with relatives at Houtzdale.

Mrs. Robert Christopher and daughter Nina May visited over Sunday at Roscoe with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Daugerty.

Miss Bird Cleland of Wheeling, W. Va., is the guest of Miss Jessie E. Copeland of Fallowfield avenue.

Misses Cecilia McDermott, Margaret McDermott, Ann Bradigam and Harry McDermott and Walter Stroud motored to Washington Sunday and visited with friends.

George Niver of the Oil Well Supply company at Oil City is visiting with friends in Charleroi.

Misses Viola Buchanan, Nelle

## THEY FOUND OUT

When young Palester first came into the office Glinfrew seemed to regard him with an unfavorable eye, as did the others. Palester was a most offensive youngster. He had the quality of "freshness" in a marked degree and it was never an amusing "freshness," nor did it wear off with scrubbing. Delicate sarcasm, of the sort that Baskin prided himself upon, had lost the slightest effect upon him; he was too dull-witted to understand it. Brutal candor, such as Densley was in the habit of indulging in when irritated, only evoked abuse that was absolutely intolerable. Yet after Palester had been in the office for three weeks Glinfrew seemed to take a sudden fancy to him and stood as a sort of buffer between him and the righteous hostility of the force.

Palester was about nineteen years of age. He had just left college—at the suggestion of the faculty, it was understood. His father was wealthy and it was through him that the boy had been pitchforked into the office. It seemed likely that he would soon be pitchforked out again. He put in an appearance at all sorts of hours in the mornings and not infrequently sneaked out long before closing time. Possibly it would have been just as well if he had stayed away altogether and drawn his salary without spoiling the books. Old Bussey, whom Palester "assisted," said most emphatically that the firm would be ahead by such an arrangement.

"Oh, he's all right," said Glinfrew, tolerantly. "You find him a little green just now, but he'll catch on after awhile."

"Not in a thousand years," said Bussey, decidedly. "He doesn't want to. He's an insulting young vagabond and he's worthless and vicious. Called me 'Buster, old cock,' the other day; that's what he did, sir. I told him what I thought of his insolence and he laughed in my face. I'm going to report him to the firm. I've been here for fifteen years and I'm not going to put up with that sort of thing."

"I wouldn't do that," remonstrated Glinfrew. "He's young, you know."

"Then he should respect his elders."

"I'll speak to him about it."

"Well, if you want to, Mr. Glinfrew,"

said the old clerk, "but why you should take his part is beyond me."

Glinfrew took the first opportunity to remonstrate with Palester concerning his conduct to his senior.

"Rats!" said Palester. "The old lobster ain't got any business around where there's live people. An institution for the feeble-minded is where he belongs. He's a back number."

"Perhaps he is a little old-fashioned," said Glinfrew, gently, "but that's no reason why you shouldn't treat him with more consideration. Palester. He has the reputation of being one of the best bookkeepers and he's a kind-hearted old gentleman, too. The firm thinks highly of him."

"Glinney, you make me tired," said the amiable youth. "Say! I want to touch you for a ten-spot. The guv'nor's shut down on me, you know, and all I get is what this graft here brings in. Dig up."

"It seems to me that ought to be enough for spending money," said Glinfrew, pulling out his pocketbook, nevertheless.

Twice or three times it seemed to the fellows that Palester pretty nearly reached the end of his rope with Glinfrew. Once he brought an over-dressed friend into the office and dragged him directly into Glinfrew's little private room. Glinfrew, being assistant manager, has a private room of his own and although he has nothing like a case of swelled head he stands on his dignity pretty well.

Palester was seen through the glass to approach Glinfrew's desk and he was heard to say boisterously, "Hello, old stick-in-the-mud! Wake up and shake hands with my chum Harry Boggs." Nobody heard what Glinfrew said in response, but the interview did not last long, and Mr. Boggs' face was red when he came out. Palester was unabashed, of course.

Another time Palester slapped Glinfrew very violently on the back and a gleam came into Glinfrew's eyes that looked particularly ominous. But he only laughed uncomfortably and the thing passed off.

One morning a carriage drove up to the office door and a young woman got out. She was a young woman of personal attraction and very tastefully dressed. She created quite a sensation when she came into the office and asked for Palester. Glinfrew happened to see her and his face instantly beamed with delight. She seemed glad to see him, too.

"Your brother is out just now, Miss Palester," said Glinfrew. "Won't you come in here and wait for him?" He indicated his little office and the young woman smiled quite radiantly upon him as she passed in. She stayed as much as fifteen minutes, and when she came out Glinfrew accompanied her to her carriage and stood talking to her quite earnestly for as much as five minutes more. His color was heightened when he returned and he went directly to his little room and shut himself in.

Baskin, Densley and old Bussey looked at one another. Densley winked. "It's the only thing on the face of the earth that could account for it," he said.

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parture From the Well-Known  
Fillings Generally Used.

Olive Sandwiches.—Thin slices of bread evenly buttered, cut hexagon shape. Between each two slices place a layer of neutchette cheese mixed to a paste with equal quantities of cream and salad dressing and covered thickly with chopped olives.

Fig Sandwiches.—Thin slices of bread cut in fancy shapes and buttered, with fig filling between each two. The fig filling should be prepared as follows: One-half pound finely chopped figs, one-third cupful sugar, one-half cupful of boiling water, add two tablespoonsfuls of lemon juice. Mix these ingredients and cook in a double boiler until thick enough to spread.

Chicken Salad Sandwiches.—Between two thin, oblong slices of bread, buttered, place a layer of chicken salad on a lettuce leaf. In making chicken salad for sandwiches chop the chicken and celery much finer than for ordinary purposes.

Ham Sandwiches.—Chop ham very fine and season with mustard, make into a paste with melted butter, spread between two thin slices of bread, thinly buttered.

German Sandwiches.—Mix equal parts of cream cheese and chopped walnut meats with French dressing. Spread between thin slices of bread.

Russian Sandwiches.—Stir grated cheese into mayonnaise and spread between thin crackers.

## 'HOUSEHOLD EMPLOYEE' NOW

Cincinnati Has Entered Into Move-  
ment to Abandon Old Titles  
of Servants.

Cincinnati women who may need household assistance will be asked hereafter when seeking help to ask for a "household employee" instead of a "girl" or "maid" or the now practically obsolete "hired girl."

In an address in New York several days ago Miss Elizabeth Dodge, national secretary of the T. W. C. A., stated that all housemaids should be called household employees, as the term carries with it the proper dignity and an accurate description of the work indicated. It is distinctly favored by Miss Elizabeth Attee, secretary of the Cincinnati Y. W. C. A., and by Miss Margaret Maxon of the women's department, city-state labor exchange, who stated their intention of using the term and doing all in their power to make its use general.

Cornmeal Mush.

Four cupfuls of cornmeal, one tablespoonful salt, four quarts water. Put the top of double boiler on with the four quarts of boiling water; add cornmeal, slowly stirring all the time. Add salt, and when thick boil two hours in double boiler (this is prepared while getting dinner the night before). Use what you need for breakfast. Then add one cupful of grated strong American cheese; beat until well mixed, pour into greased pan and set aside for luncheon. Then cut in half-inch slices and brown on hot griddle.

Dainty Eggs and Bacon.

Butter a baking dish or platter, or individual ramekin dishes. Break each egg into a cup and drop into baking dish; sprinkle with salt and pepper, bake in a moderate oven for five minutes for soft-cooked, and ten minutes for hard-cooked.

Lay thin slices of bacon on a hissing hot frying pan. When transparent, turn. When dry and crisp, drain and dry on brown paper. If you have the time place thin slices on broiler and cook over dripping pan in hot oven—Dallas News.

Chocolate Cake.

One cupful sugar, one-half cupful butter creamed, add one egg unbeaten, one cupful milk with teaspoonful soda dissolved in it, one teaspoonful vanilla. Put one-half cupcake chocolate, one-half cupful milk, one-half cupful of sugar on fire to melt. Then add to rest and two cupfuls bread flour. Beat well and bake in sheet tin. Frost with frosting made with confectioner's sugar and hot water thick enough to spread.

## THE WAY OF IT.

Knicker—The poet says heaven lies about us in our infancy.

Bocker—Well, every one else lies about us afterward.

## QUITE NATURAL

Your friend has a very peculiar gait."

It ought to be a very natural one. He is always on the fence."

People of Alaska Make Light of Deeds That Stem Little Less than Marvelous.

Alaskans, probably like other pioneer peoples, are so much accustomed to perils and hardships of various kinds that many deeds of recklessness and hardihood pass practically unnoticed which in the States would receive much acclaim. A case in point was the act of Miss Ella Fleming last February in risking her life upon the treacherous seas of Prince William Sound while searching for her father, W. H. Fleming, the owner of Fleming Island, and her sweetheart, Harry Jones, the latter well known among western college men as a former star of the Washington university football team. Fleming, accompanied by Jones, left Fleming Island in a power boat to deliver two blue foxes to Guy Whitehead, owner of a big fox ranch on Knights Island. The engine broke down and a high wind carried away their only sail. The boat finally drifted on to the rocks of Montague Island where the men lived on clams for two days until they succeeded in improvising a boat from the wreckage and drift timber found upon the beach. Their only tool was a jack knife. Nails, which were driven with stones, were secured by burning them from the wrecked timbers of the power boat, while sea grass was used for caulking. With this boat they reached Green Island after rowing 17 hours.

In the meantime Miss Fleming became alarmed at their failure to return and despite the high wind and heavy sea then running launched a small rowboat and started in search, finally landing at La Touche, 25 miles away, from which point a rescue party went out and found the shipwrecked mariners. How the young woman survived is the wonder of seamen. Upon arrival at La Touche her clothing was so heavily coated with ice and frozen so solidly to the seat of the rowboat that an ax had to be used to cut it loose before she could be lifted from the boat.

Upon hearing of the safety of her father and fiance she promptly fainted.

## HAS INVENTED NEW HEATER

Mechanic Perfects "Stove" That Re-  
sembles Desk Phone More Than  
Anything Else.

Among the new electric heating devices being brought out is one which looks like a desk telephone. It consists of a round, transmitterlike device, about six inches in diameter, containing the usual electric coils and with a cage in front. This is mounted on the side near the top of a standard such as is used for the electric fan.

The heater is supplied with eight feet of cord so that it may be moved around and placed either on the floor or on a table. It is made in two styles; one having two heating units and the other having but one. The latter, of course, is less expensive to buy and uses less current.

The double unit one, however, gives off sufficient heat to warm a room of considerable size. This heater can be used not only to heat a room, but can be placed in such a position that it will warm the feet only.—Popular Science.

From One to Another.

A tribute by Homer T. Davies of Concordia: "The Kansan office was favored with a fine visit from Mr. W. C. Palmer, famous all over Kansas as the editor and brilliant paragrapher of the Jewell City Republican. Billy has but one fault—chin whiskers. He has but one diversion from strict attention to business—the annual conference of the Methodist church, of which he is faithful and consistent member. Billy Palmer is, and has been, an inspiration to many an aspiring young newspaper man. He began his career as a newspaper man as a kid printer in the Republican office, when it was owned by the Musers. He now owns the paper and the building where it is printed. He has stock in banks and other corporations in his home town. He lives in one of the swell homes of the town—and there's not a dirty dollar in all his possessions—and, better than all, he has the confidence and the respect of his fellow citizens. Billy Palmer has attained success in life."—Kansas City Star.

Apple and Honey Pudding.

Four cupfuls raw apple cut in small pieces, two cupfuls bread crumbs, one-half cupful hot water, two teaspoonsful butter, two teaspoonsful cinnamon and one-half cupful honey. Put a layer of the apple in a well-buttered pudding dish; then a layer of crumbs. Mix the honey and hot water. Pour part of this over the crumbs, sprinkle with cinnamon and dot with a few bits of butter. Fill the dish with alternate layers of apples, crumbs, honey, etc., having a layer of crumbs on top. Cover and bake 45 minutes. Serve with cream.—Mother's Magazine.

## Rank and File.

He was a "rookie" on his first sentry duty at one of the government reservations. The corporal of the guard had told him what to do when the officer of the day appeared, which by rule ought to be at about half-past nine that night. Sentry was to notify corporal when the officer had passed. At ten o'clock no report from the sentry. The corporal wanted to know why. Much perturbed, the sentry said he was sorry. He had not seen the officer.

"Keep me posted," said the corporal sharply. "It might be late."

fifteen minutes later the officer ap-  
peared, and this colloquy ensued:

Sentry—Who goes there?

Officer—Officer of the day.

Sentry—You're late, you are. You'll get the devil when the corporal of the guard sees you.

Cocoa as Currency.

Cocoa passed as currency among the natives of Central and South America at the time of the European conquest, and that despite a plentiful supply of gold. Joseph Acosta, in 1600, tells us the Indians used "none of their gold or silver for traffic in or buy withal," and unto this day the custom continues among them that instead of money they use cocoa. The Aztecs of ancient Mexico also used "cocoa" as small change, as many as 8,000 beans being counted legal tender. The value of the beans may be judged from the fact that "a tolerably good slave" could be purchased for 100 of them.

Had Reason to Be Proud.

Traveler—I say, what are you people so proud about? Last time I came here everybody was very friendly and now I can hardly get a person to speak.

Uncle Eben—You'll pardon us, but it's our town pride. You see, Joe Summers picked up a guidebook that fell out of a motor car last week and we found that the old tannery swamp is a mountain tannery, Simmons' stone quarry a precipice, Bill Moulder's beerhouse a wayside inn, and the whole country chockfull of historical antiquities and delusions.

Advice for Business Men.

Get down off your high horse if you expect to be heard and patronized by common, everyday people. Put plain horse sense and honest intentions in your advertisements. These are the things that appeal to you, and in all essentials you are just like most of the people you're trying to sell goods to.—Jed Scarboro.

## GOOD FOR THE WILY EDITOR

Some Method in His Instructions as  
to How One Might Achieve  
Long Life.

The famous writer for the Belt Line series of yellow journals and author of magazine stories and popular lectures, whose name was a household word, sat him down in response to a passionate demand from 4,000,000 readers and wrote the following:

MY RULES FOR LONG LIFE.

I am seventy-five years of age and have married and successfully gotten rid of four wives, and never have had a day's illness. Anyone can do as I have done by observing the following rules:

Eat plenty of bananas.

Drink plenty of pure distilled bot-  
tled water between meals.

Wear linen underwear.

Rub the body dry with horsehair mitt twice a day.

Breathe deeply through any good breathing tube.

Don't worry.

Then, having sent a bill for advertising to the banana trust, the bottle trust, the linen underwear trust, the horsehair mitt trust, the breathing tube trust and the Don't Worry Publishing company, he went out to take a much-needed auto ride.—Life.

Now Practice "Safety First."

A delegation of indignant women once waited upon the head of a trolley company.

"You must lower the steps of your cars at least three inches," said the spokeswoman firmly. "They are much too high. It is almost impossible for us to reach them. Our lives are endangered."

"Certainly," said the head of the trolley company, and he gave orders that the steps should be lowered.

When the work was completed—the company operated several thousand cars—the president informed the women that he had complied with their wishes and hoped that the revised steps would prove satisfactory.

"Oh, thank you," they replied, "but it doesn't matter now, really. The fashion in skirts has changed. They are now made full."

The railroad company now has its cars designed by a topnotch Paris modiste.—Puck.

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